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Inventor(s): Wang et al. (Michael Shu-Huan Wang, George T. Wallace, Troy Stanley)

For: CHEMICAL MECHANICAL POLISHING APPARATUS AND METHOD TO
MINIMIZE SLURRY ACCUMULATION AND SCRATCH EXCURSIONS

Enclosed are:

- 1 Sheets of informal drawings (Figs. 1, 2A, 2B, 2C)
- 15 Pages of Specification (including Abstract)
- X A Declaration/Power of Attorney
- X An Assignment Document with form PTO 1595
- X IDS with PTO Form 1449 and cited references

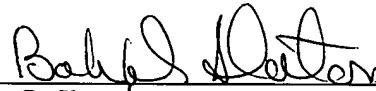
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